

Docket No. 215504US6PCT

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bruno GIBELLO

SERIAL NO: 09/926,415

FILED: June 19, 2002

FOR: PRODUCTION METHOD WITH BREAKAGE DETECTION FOR A THREAD



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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 1731"

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

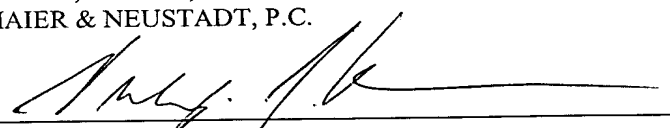
- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.